IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Thomas RICHARDSON et al. Group Art Unit 1614

Serial No.: 10/058,835 Examiner: Timothy E Betton

Filed: January 30, 2002 Confirmation No.: 2416

For: METHODS FOR SUSTAINED RELEASE LOCAL DELIVERY OF DRUGS FOR

ABLATION OF UNWANTED TISSUE

AMENDMENT AND REPLY

Commissioner for Patents

Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed April 11, 2007, and in connection with the

Interview conducted May 31, 2007, kindly amend the above-identified application as follows.

A Petition for a 2-Month Extension of Time is filed herewith

Amendments and additions to the **Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.

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